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SUBJECT: CAP FOR WINES - TECHNICAL QUESTIONS

REF: (A) STATE 077191; (B) WINSTANLEY- KOENIG LETTER OF APRIL 10;
(C) EC BRUSSELS 1685; (D) EC A-219, 6/9/70; (E) EC A-328, 8/26/70.

1. COMMISSION OFFICIALS ARE ON VACATION THIS WEEK.
HOWEVER, WE CAN RESPOND TO THE TWO QUESTIONS CONTAINED
IN REF A BASED ON OUR UNDERSTANDING OF EC WINE
REGULATIONS.

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2. ALL WINES IMPORTED INTO THE COMMUNITY MUST MEET THE EC' S ENOLOGICAL CRITERIA SPELLED OUT IN GREAT DETAIL IN TITLE 4 OF REGULATION 816/70 (REF D).
3. THESE ENOLOGICAL CRITERIA APPLY TO BOTH TABLE WINES AND QUALITY WINES. TABLE WINES ARE DEFINED IN ANNEX II (10) OF REGULATION 816/70. QUALITY WINES (VQPRD) ARE DEFINED IN ARTICLE 1 OF REGULATION 817/70 (REF E). THESE DEFINITIONS APPARENTLY APPLY ONLY TO COMMUNITY PRODUCED WINES. ALSO, THE TERMS " RECOMMENDED, AUTHORIZED, AND TEMPORARILY AUTHORIZED WINES" APPLY ONLY TO COMMUNITY PRODUCED WINES.
4. THE CONDITIONS WHICH IMPORTED WINES MUST MEET ARE SPELLED OUT IN ARTICLE 28 OF REGULATION 816/70 (REF D). OUR UNDERSTANDING OF THESE CONDITIONS ARE EXPLAINED IN PARAS 5, 6, AND 7 OF REF C.
5. WE WOULD SUGGEST THAT AT& F CONSULT WITH DOERING IN FAS FOR FURTHER CLARIFICATION OF THE PROBLEM.
6. WE WILL CABLE SEPARATELY THE ANSWERS TO THE OTHER TECHNICAL QUESTIONS CONTAINED IN REF B.
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